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3 August 1966

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Support Staff, NPIC
ATTENTION : Chief, Logistics Branch
SUBJECT : Repairs to Damaged Instrument in Connection with [redacted]

REFERENCE : (a) NPIC/P&DS Memorandum 444-65, dated 14 December 1965
(b) Voucher/Shipping Document 66-32661-FVIF
(c) [redacted] Letter #1176, dated 3 December 1965
(d) Contracting Officers Letter to [redacted] dated 7 January 1966

1. [redacted], is for the design, development, and fabrication of an Advanced Light Table and Mount for the [redacted] Versatile Stereoscope. The contract stipulates that the Government will furnish a [redacted] Versatile Stereoscope to the contractor for the period of the contract.

2. The only available instrument was delivered to the Logistics Branch, Support Staff, to arrange for packing and shipment to the contractor per reference (b). Because of inadequacies of the shipping container and poor packing, or rough handling by the carrier--or a combination of both--the instrument was found to be damaged upon arrival at destination per reference (c).

3. As recommended in the referenced memorandum the technical monitor--after verbal authorization from the contracting officer--instructed [redacted] to ship the damaged instrument to [redacted] for repair. This verbal authorization was followed by written instruction in reference (d) directing the contractor to ship the instrument to [redacted] has subsequently prepared a quotation (attached) for the repair of the stereoscope.

4. It is requested that appropriate action be taken to pay for the repairs and to ultimately recover the [redacted] from the source of

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the mishandling. It is essential that the repairs to the instrument be authorized with no further delay in order to proceed with the contract.

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Assistant for Plans and Development, NPIC

Attachments:

1. [REDACTED] Letter dated 22 June 1966
2. [REDACTED] Letter dated 3 December 1965

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